

IN THE CLAIMS

Claims 1-16. (canceled)

17. (new) A schedule apparatus, comprising:
means for receiving electronic program guide (EPG) information;
means for creating a calendar and displaying the created calendar on a display device;
means for determining whether a date from said calendar has been selected;
means, responsive to a determination from the determining means that the date has been selected, for accepting an input of user schedule information in which a user is able to edit a personal event or events of the selected day or causing said EPG information which comprises at least program guide information of the selected date to be displayed for accepting a viewing/recording schedule for a desired program or programs; and
means for controlling display of the schedule information of the user's personal event or events and schedule information of the program or programs to be viewed or recorded on said calendar.

18. (new) A method for providing a schedule on a display screen of a monitor device, said method comprising:
receiving electronic program guide (EPG) information;
creating a calendar and displaying the created calendar on the display screen;
determining whether a date from said calendar has been selected;
in response to a determination that the date has been

selected, accepting an input of user schedule information in which a user is able to edit a personal event or events of the selected day or causing said EPG information which comprises at least program guide information of the selected date to be displayed for accepting a viewing/recording schedule for a desired program or programs; and

controlling display of the schedule information of the user's personal event or events and schedule information of the program or programs to be viewed or recorded on said calendar.